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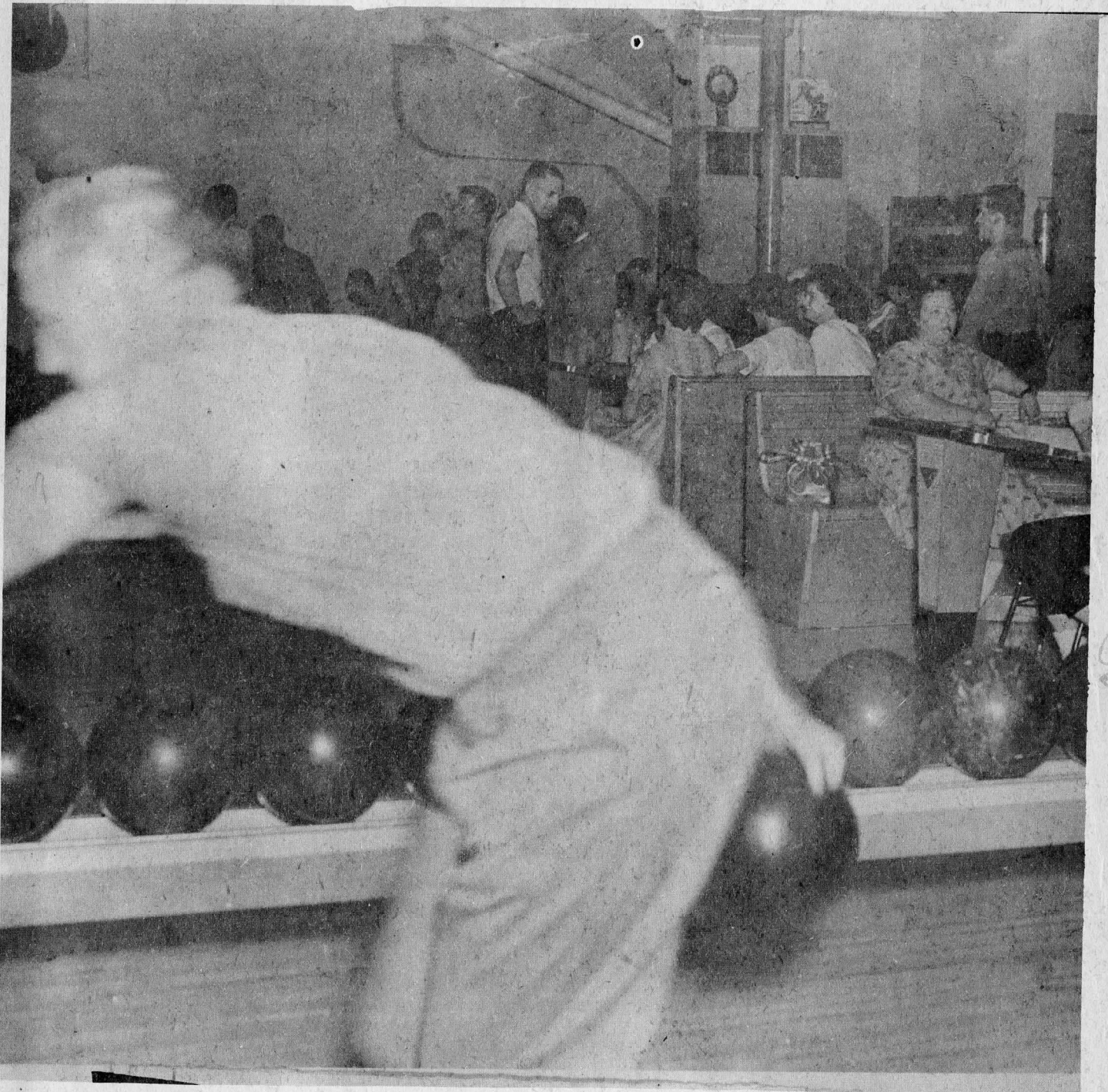
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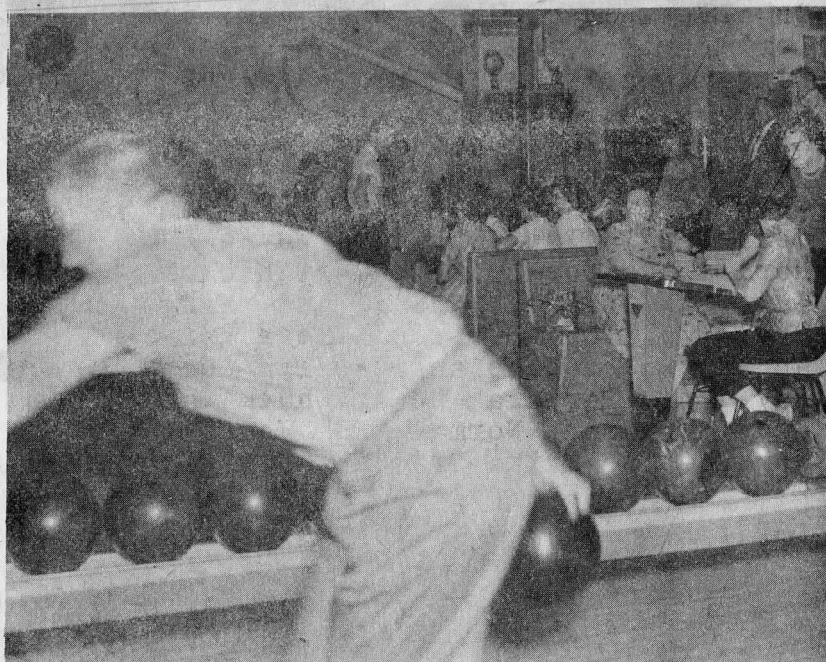
APRIL

1962

It was Wood Hill night at the Crete Bowling Lanes on Thursday night, March 29, 1962.

Fifty (about) Wood Hill people bowled from 30 to 211; threw strikes and gutter balls and even hit the wall a time or two.

Refreshments were served by the Lanes and were enjoyed (as below by, left to right, Pat Wroblewski and Evelyn McCormick) by all there.



BOWL WOOD HILL NIGHT



High score for men was a 211 bowled by Norman Hawkins. High series for men was a hot 518 blasted by "Rocky" Erakavitch. The weaker sex wasn't too much weaker. Norma Jean Coulom snared both the high game and high series with a 176 game and a 499 series. We had young people from the Jerome Miotti family bowling and score-wise they certainly proved more "mature" than some adults.

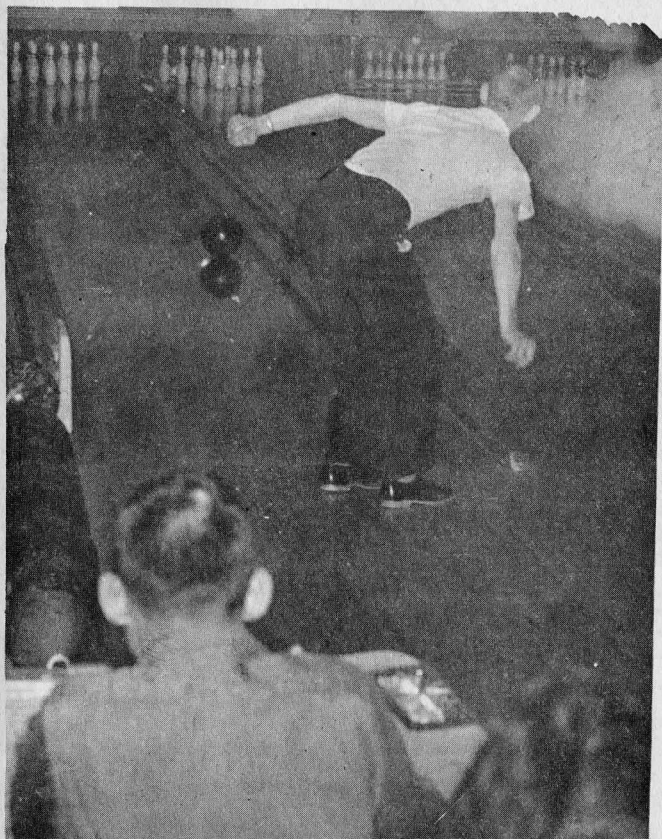
Whether bowling for exercise, or bowling for high score, all bowlers seemed to have a ball. Wood Hill may not have come up with the highest scores, but we had the noisiest.

Wood Hill was invited to "come meet your neighbor". From the good natured ribbing that went back and forth; and for the shouts of triumphs that went up for every strike (or gutter ball), it would seem that the neighbors were very, very well acquainted.

Neighbors grouped together.

On alleys one and two were Jim and Lori Barilow, Hugh and Fran Beattie Jim and Lori Clause, Jim and Evelyn Mc Cormick, Ray and Pat Wroblewski, from east Hickok and John Keil from Sampson. On alleys three and four were Chico and Joann Buckmeier, Jerry and Helen Corcoran, Wayne and Norma Jean Coulom from west Hickok, Lauree Falcioni, Landau; and Marge Myers, Union Dr. On alleys five and six were Dave and Marilyn Coon, Ray and Barbara Deja, Chuck and Jody Harrison, Norman and Jeanette Hawkins and Erika Price from Union Dr. On alleys seven and eight were "Rocky" and Arlene Erakavich, Lou and Joan Koelsch, Larry and Donna Stocking, Chuck and Margaret Taft and Case and "B. A." Timmer from Circle Dr. On alleys nine and ten were Jerry and Bertha Miotti and sons Chris, Jess, Joe, and Marc, and Clarence Sundin and son Clarence Jr. from Hickok and Union Dr.

By April 26th, a sneaky way of mixing neighbors up will have been devised, for that will be another Wood Hill Bowling night at Crete Bowling Lanes.



FOR HELP

FIRE

OR INHALATOR

Steger Estates Fire Department

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- 1...Location and type of emergency
- 2...Be sure to state--Wood Hill
- 3...Go outside to direct Fire Dept.

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WOOD HILL, car 68R

OR,

call 9-PI 8-2926 for
Ben Brandom, Chief

call 563-8429 for
Lt. Tom Pitts

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EDITORIALS

The show is on the road--

Last month our Editorial suggested that we should get the Home Owner's Association under way. Every resident should be proud of the action taken last meeting. We have a good constitution, able officers and an organization that shows signs of being an asset to all of us in Wood Hill.

The show is on the road--

The Scout movement in Wood Hill is on the road. Committees are organized, a sponsor (Wood Hill Enterprises) has donated a meeting place the charter application is working.

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The Fire Department in Wood Hill is on the road. Equipment is being readied, training is under way, and funds are being raised.

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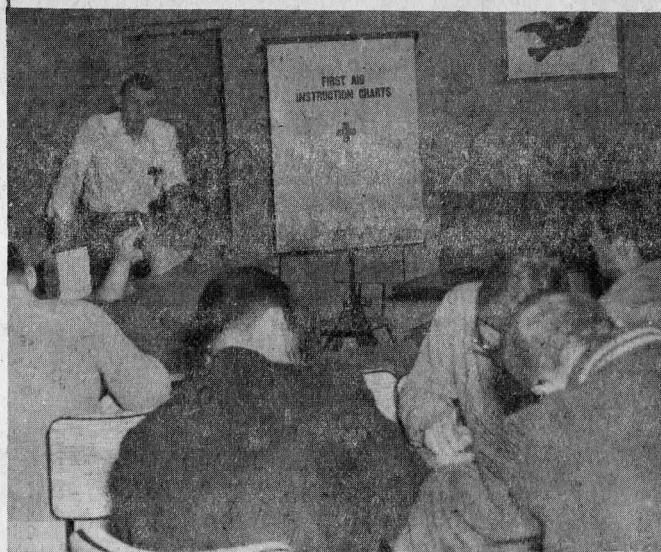
The Police Department in Wood Hill is on the road. Training is progressing, equipment is being secured, funds are being raised.

The show is on the road--

Sod is being placed, seed is being sowed, bushes are sprouting, tulips are coming up--

we think that even spring is
on the road....

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The Wood Hill Fire Department has sponsored a Basic Red Cross First Aid Course.

Shown above is Roger Bassett of the Park Forest Fire Department, Instructor. Twenty-eight members of the Wood Hill Fire and Police Departments enrolled for the instructions.

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Political awareness came to Wood Hill with the April 10th primary.

With something over 50 registered voters in Wood Hill, 30 voted in the primary--a percentage higher than the national average for such elections.

Political parties have begun organizations and have had workers making the rounds, calling on residents in the area.

In the picture below, one candidate is shown talking to a group of voters. The candidate is Robert T. Smith, who ran for Sheriff of Will County.

In future issues of the HERALD, it is our plan to bring complete details of forthcoming elections to your attention, and to publish information about local candidates.



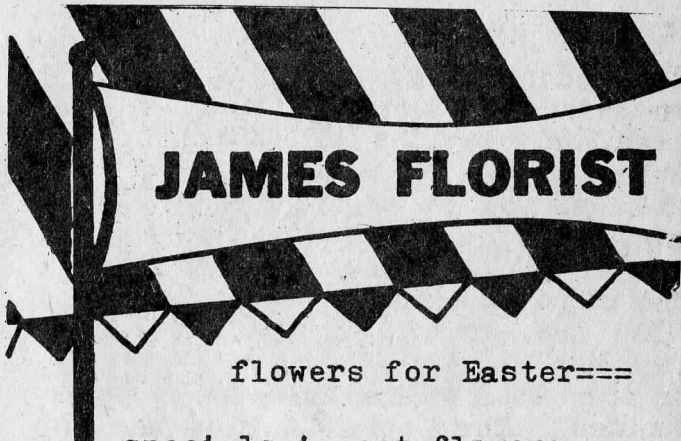
The Annual Scout-O-Rama will be held at the Balmoral Jockey Club on Saturday May 26th.

Cubs, Boy Scouts, Explorers, Sea Scouts and Air Scouts Squadrons will exhibit their specialities and crafts.

Hours are from 10:00 a.m. til 8:00 p.m. Tickets are \$1.00 for adults Children accompanied by adults are charged no admission.



Above, Judith Latsch, 542 Hickok looks at the Certificate of Merit she was awarded. It said she "has demonstrated high potential for college achievement by distinguished performance in the National Merit Scholarship Program".



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Seven of the nine-man Board of Directors of the Wood Hill Home Owner's Association. From left to right, Martin Ganzel, Jim McCormick, Byron Price, Ken Koenig, John Berryman, Chuck Taft, Lou Koelsch. Not shown, George Hansen and Case Timmer.

With the defeat of the motion to accept the constitution as a whole it was acted upon item by item.

As finally resolved, the Home Owner's Association will be governed by five board members, a President Vice - President, Secretary and Treasurer. All to be elected by the membership at large, and all to serve one year terms, but not limited to one year terms.

Three men were nominated for President; George Hansen, Lou Koelsch and Byron Price. Koelsch received the highest number of votes, Price was second. Price was elected Vice-President. Ken Koenig was chosen Secretary by acclamation. Martin Ganzel was elected Treasurer.

The second meeting of the Wood Hill Home Owner's Association was held at the Sands, March 21, 1962.

It was announced that the agenda would consist of the adoption of a constitution and amendment (if any) and election of officers.

Following the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting, it was moved that the constitution as distributed to residents in Wood Hill be approved as presented.

This motion was overwhelmingly defeated. The constitution was one that would have provided for a seven man board with the President appointing Secretary and Treasurer plus a number of committee chairmen. The Vice - President could have voted only in the absence of the President. The appointed officials would not have been members of the board.

The constitution proposed at the initial meeting of the group had a nine man board, elected by the membership at large, but would have elected officers from themselves.



President Lou Koelsch looks over Grievance Committee Chairman Chuck Taft's shoulder. It has been reported that the developers of Wood Hill wish to cooperate in every way possible with the home owners, and to correct any problems or misunderstandings which may arise.

Five board members elected were Jim McCormick; John Berryman, Case Timmer, George Hansen and Chuck Taft.

In accordance with the constitution, Board Members have been appointed Chairmen of major committees. They are; Public Safety-- John Berryman; Grievance--Chuck Taft; Social--Jim McCormick: In-

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SINCE 1877

-these doors have swung open for the people of Crete. "We are proud of our old-fashioned doors", says L. L. Wills, "they remind us of our old-fashioned policy of courtesy".

there has been a store at 1364 Main Street in Crete. In all this time, that store has aimed to do its friendly best to fill the community's needs. That old fashioned policy is even more true in 1962.



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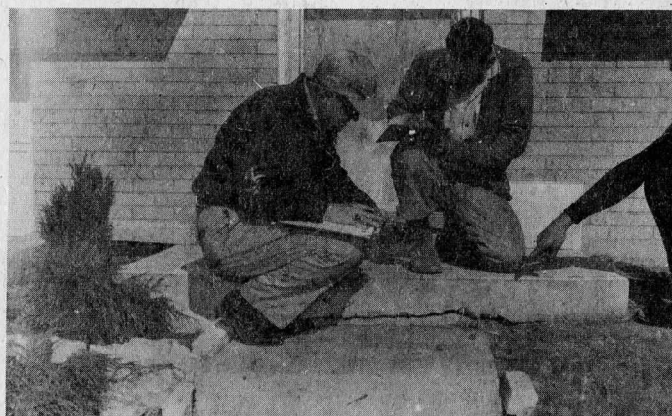
VALUE & SERVICE

HARDWARE STORES

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corporation Investigation--George Hansen and Case Timmer. Martin Ganzel is Chairman of the Finance Committee; Ken Koenig, Membership.

Following the election of officers a portion of the board met with the developers of Wood Hill in a "get acquainted" meeting. Procedures for handling "grievances" in particular, were discussed at length. It was agreed that the Board and other members of the Association would survey all homes in the project, collate all complaints and report them to the developers.



Inspection team Chuck Taft (left) and Larry Stocking, check Home Owner's complaint. All complaints will be relayed to developers. Code numbers will be assigned to each. It is suggested that a "reasonable period" of time be allowed before calling Wood Hill (about two weeks). If you call be sure to get the code number. Should action not be taken within a week or so, then refer again to Chuck Taft, 563-8308.

It was said that grading around homes will be done as soon as the ground dries enough and paving operations will be started when weather permits.

The board was also told that the developers had sent letters to all

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contractors reminding them (forcefully, one member described it) that people live in Wood Hill and that the contractors should caution their drivers to observe safe driving practices.



This was a common sight as measures were taken to correct a common problem with Highlanders built early last year.

Drains were relocated to handle run off water from driveways.

NEEDED

FOR

BOY SCOUTS

AND

COMMUNITY CENTER

Tables and chairs

Call Jim McCormick, 563-8476

BOWL

WOOD HILL

NIGHT

MEET
YOUR
NEIGHBORS
FOR
AN
EVENING
OF
FUN

A g a i n

The second Wood Hill night will be Thursday, April 26, 1962.

Bowling starts at 7:30 p.m.

We would like to know how many are coming, so please call Norma Jean Coulom, 544 Hickok, 563-8292; or Gene Buchmeier, 525 Hickok, 563-8286.

*Crete Bowling
Lanes, Inc.*

1338 MAIN STREET
CRETE, ILLINOIS



At the left, Mrs. Helen Corcoran, 540 Hickok signs as a Den Mother.

Institutional Representative, Jim McCormick has announced that nine mothers have "volunteered" to be Den Mothers. In addition to Mrs. Corcoran, there is Jo Ann Buchmeier of 525 Hickok; Pat Wroblewski, 513 Hickok; Carmoletia O'Guinn, 552 Hickok; Frances Beattie, 514 Hickok; Betty Hansen, 529 Hickok; Marilyn Coon, 809 Union; Mary Barnhart, 711 Circle and Evelyn McCormick, 523 Hickok.

Pack Committee members (to date) include Jim Ellis, 902 Union, Pack Committee Chairman; George Hansen, 529 Hickok and Larry Stocking, 708 Circle.

Troop Committee members include Dave Coon, 809 Union Dr., Chairman; Thomas Latsch, 542 Hickok; Ray Wroblewski, 513 Hickok; Louis Koelsch, 714 Circle; and Joe Coatar, 918 Union Dr.

WOOD HILL

Home Owner's Assn

MEETING

at the Sands

APRIL

8:00 p.m.





The building seems to be in good shape. Some glass is broken, and the building is shabby, but It's an ideal place for Scouts.

Volunteers will be needed to clean up and paint up. An offer to roof the building has been made.

In addition to serving as a dandy spot for Scouts, it is felt that this will be ideal for meetings of the Home Owner's Association and other such Wood Hill organizations.

Shown above is the old school house at the corner of Exchange Avenue and Old Monee Road. It has been given to the residents of Wood Hill to use as a meeting place for Boy Scouts and Cub Packs and Community Center.

In addition to making the school available, Wood Hill Enterprises has contributed equipment to make the school more usable. In the dismantling of the "Spangler" house, a water heater, electric pump and an oil furnace were given to the Scouts/home owners.

The school itself is on a large lot with room enough for a small ball diamond. In addition, permission has been given to use any of the land Wood Hill has for the various scouting activities.

The school itself consists of two floors. The upper floor was the one room school house, the basement was a kitchen, plus furnace room.

It has been reported that in addition to making the school available that the developers will assist in supplying the necessary "drop" for electric power, will help in the installation of a pump and also in the replacement of the coal fired furnace.



Above: The oil-fired furnace comes out of the "Spangler" house.

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PARK FOREST, ILL.

The Wood Hill Volunteer Fire Department plans a fund raising drive for April 28 and 29.

Families will be requested to contribute \$15.00 each. The money is to use for the operating costs of the Department.

It is estimated that the yearly expenses will be:

Phone	\$480.00
Truck Insurance	90.00
Insurance on men	250.00
Truck gas & oil	200.00
Heat & light	360.00

The Volunteer Fire Department is incorporating as a "not-for-profit" organization. Officers (business)

elected were: President. Gene Narcisi; Vice - President. Manuel Zeledon; Secretary, Robert Hunter; Treasurer, Larry Stocking.

The department has secured a siren, and it is anticipated that tests and installation of it will begin shortly. According to "Red" Black, the Acting Chief, the siren will be blown at noon each day as a test.

The needs of the Department will be discussed in detail at the next meeting of the Home Owner's Association. However, it has been emphasized that the needs of the department are immediate. Contributions can be made in a lump sum or in any method convient to the contributor.

we asked

We asked, "What changes are you making in the models 'carried over' from last year?"

This is the answer from Wood Hill Construction Company President, Harold Rosenthal.

In the Highlander--a rear basement entrance has been moved from the side planned for the optional fourth bedroom, to the other side where the laundry room is located.

The new model now has a porch patio that is reached either through a sliding glass wall from the separate dining room, or up a short flight of steps from the outside.

Double windows have been added to each of the 2 corner bedrooms providing cross ventilation.

Betty Galbraith (Mrs. Gib.) had a long involuntary vacation the last month. Starting in St. James Hospital for observation, and ending up in Passavent Hospital for major



The Fairfield has had approximately 50 square feet added to the house. With this change, a large family room is provided, just off the kitchen.

In addition the 2 corner bedrooms have been given cross ventilation by the addition of double windows in each.

surgery. Betty won't be out much, so it might be kind of nice if we'd stop in when we're out walking in the beautiful spring weather. She's stuck in 921 Union Dr.



Mr. and Mrs. Richard DiGrazia, 806 Union Dr. are the proud parents of James Daryl, their third son. James was born on March 26th, in Ingalls Hospital in Harvey. He weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces. James joins his brothers Richard and Timmy, for the start of a baseball team. Still if his Mother and Dad won't buy the "baseball teams make money you know" bit, the Kingston Trio isn't doing too badly.



Reintroducing Peter Vincent Clark



Reintroducing Kurt Raymond Harrison.



Warner Richey, Wood Hill's reliable route salesman for the Dixie Dairy Company is met at the door of 718 Circle Dr., by Mrs. Tom Pitts and her two sons Billy and Michael.

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CHICAGO HEIGHTS BRANCH

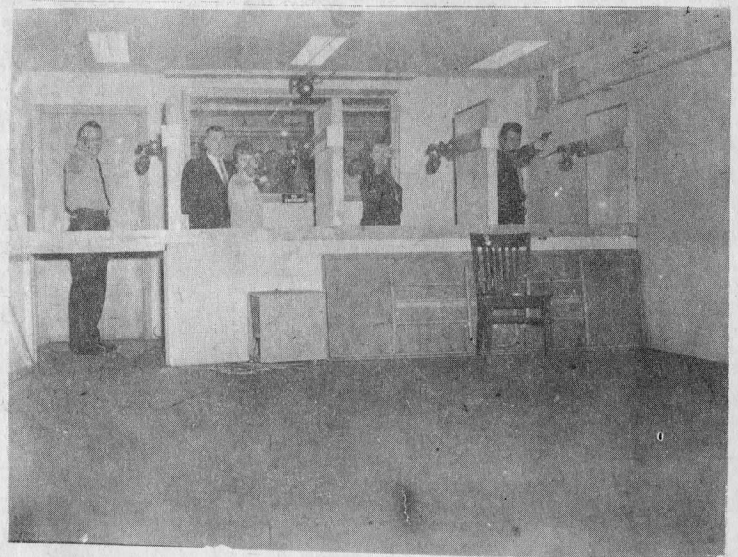
SKyline 5-0544

2015 Chicago Road.

Wood Hill Police Department training and equipping has continued.

In cooperation with the Oak Lawn Police Department, firing instruction is being given. The course is conducted by FBI agent, Jack Kirsch, shown with a target, and pupils, right. Four students are shown on the range in Oak Lawn in the center picture.

Present members of the department are shown right, below.





This is Seehausen's in Crete.

There is more to this store though, than just a large well lighted parking lot, and a clean airy interior.

Mr. Seehausen began in the grocery business in Crete in 1923, working for the A & P. He worked for them 19 years. In 1948 he opened his own store and has continued ever since.

The store has a complete line of meat, frozen foods, groceries and produce.

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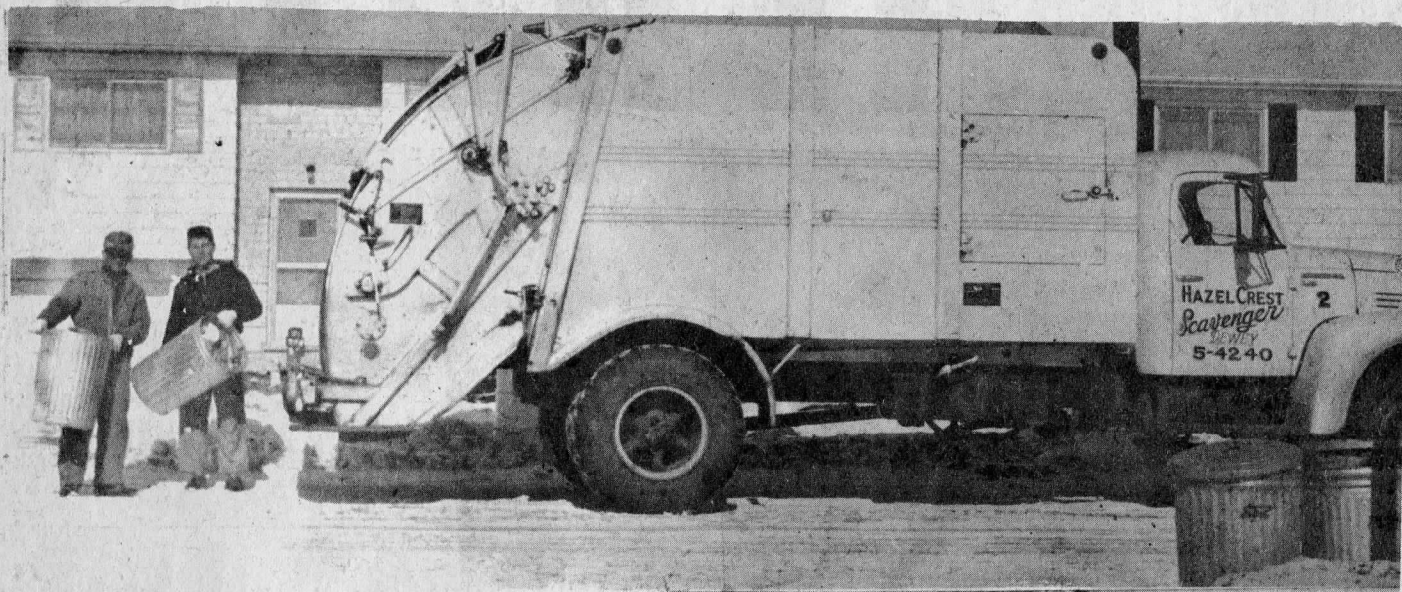
Seehausen's--supermarket prices with neighborhood store friendliness.

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Hazel Crest Scavenger provides weekly pick up of refuse, for Wood Hill.

SCAVENGER



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